

R4S ECP Malawi | KII Codebook

Codes	Definition/Description	Sub-codes		Definition/Description
ECP offered	Where ECPs are being offered in terms of geography	Urbanicity	Urban	ECPs are being offered in urban areas
			Rural	ECPs are being offered in rural areas
		District	Blantyre	ECPs are being offered in Blantyre district
			Chikwawa	ECPs are being offered in Chikwawa district
			Chiradzulu	ECPs are being offered in Chiradzulu district
			Dedza	ECPs are being offered in Dedza district
			Lilongwe	ECPs are being offered in Lilongwe district
			Machinga	ECPs are being offered in Machinga district
			Mangochi	ECPs are being offered in Mangochi district
			Mchinji	ECPs are being offered in Mchinji district
			Mwanza	ECPs are being offered in Mwanza district
			Mzimba North	ECPs are being offered in Mzimba North district
			Mzimba South	ECPs are being offered in Mzimba South district
			Neno	ECPs are being offered in Neno district
			Nkhatabay	ECPs are being offered in Nkhatabay district
Nkhotakota	ECPs are being offered in Nkhotakota district			
Nsanje	ECPs are being offered in Nsanje district			
Ntcheu	ECPs are being offered in Ntcheu district			
Ntchisi	ECPs are being offered in Ntchisi district			
Thyolo	ECPs are being offered in Thyolo district			

			Phalombe	ECPs are being offered in Phalombe district
			Rumphi	ECPs are being offered in Rumphi district
			Salima	ECPs are being offered in Salima district
			Thyolo	ECPs are being offered in Thyolo district
			Zomba	ECPs are being offered in Zomba district
Channel available	Channel ECPs are available	Public		ECPs are available through public channels
		Private		ECPs are available through private channels
		Community		ECPs are available through community channels
		Pharmacies		ECPs are available through pharmacy
		Other		ECPs are available through other channels
Restrictions	Restrictions on who should receive ECPs	Age	Yes	Yes, there are age restrictions on who should receive ECPs
			No	No, there are no age restrictions on who should receive ECPs
		Sex	Yes	Yes, there are restrictions on which gender can receive ECPs
			No	No, there are no restrictions on which gender can receive ECPs
		Repeat use	Yes	Yes, there are restrictions on repeat use of ECPs
			No	No, there are no restrictions on repeat use of ECPs
			Not sure	Informant is not sure if there are restrictions on repeat use
		Other		Other restrictions on repeat ECP use
		No restrictions		There were no restrictions on who should receive ECPs
		Circumstances for ECP use	Under which circumstances ECPs should be used and how	Circumstances
In advance of need	ECPs should be used in advance of need			

	respondent feels about it		Repeat use	Yes	Yes, respondent thinks ECPs should be used on a repeated basis			
				No	No, respondent doesn't think that ECPs should be used on a repeat basis			
			On demand			ECPs should be used on demand		
			Not on other FP			ECPs should be used among people who are no on other FP		
			Regular method	Yes	Yes, respondent thinks ECPs should be used as a regular method			
				No	No, respondent doesn't think ECPs should be used as a regular method			
			Bridging method	Yes	Yes, respondent thinks ECPs should be used as a bridging method			
				No	No, respondent doesn't think ECPs should be used as a bridging method			
				It depends	Respondent thinks it would depend on the context whether ECPs should be used as a bridging method			
			Dual protection	No	No, respondent doesn't think ECPs should be used as dual protection			
				It depends	Respondent thinks it would depend on the context whether ECPs should be used as dual protection			
			Sexually active			Respondent thinks ECPs should be used by those who are sexually active		
			Feel	Favorable			Respondent feels favorable about how it should be used	
				Unfavorable			Respondent feels unfavorable about how it should be used	
				Indifferent			Respondent feels indifferent about how it should be used	

Feel_men	How respondent feels about men using ECPs	Favorable		Respondent feels favorable about men using ECPs	
		Indifferent		Respondent feels indifferent about men using ECPs	
		Unfavorable		Respondent feels unfavorable about men using ECPs	
Feel_youth	How respondent feels about youth using ECPs	Favorable		Respondent feels favorable about youth using ECPs	
		Indifferent		Respondent feels indifferent about youth using ECPs	
		Unfavorable		Respondent feels unfavorable about youth using ECPs	
Who_should receive ECPs	Who respondent thinks should receive ECPs	Adults		Respondent thinks adults should receive ECPs	
		Boys/men		Respondent thinks boys/men should receive ECPs	
		Everybody		Respondent thinks everybody should receive ECPs	
		Risk of emergency		Respondent thinks those who are at risk of emergency should receive ECPs	
		Sexually active		Respondent thinks sexually active people should receive ECPs	
		Unprotected sex		Respondent thinks people who had unprotected sex should receive ECPs	
		Women of reproductive age		Respondent thinks women of reproductive age should receive ECPs	
		Youth		Respondent thinks youth should receive ECPs	
Who accessing ECPs	Who is accessing ECPs	Adults		Adults are accessing ECPs	
		Everyone who wants		Everyone who wants to access ECPs are accessing ECPs	
		Men		Men are accessing ECPs	
		Single or not married		Single or not married people are accessing ECPs	
		Youth		Youth are accessing ECPs	
		Men		Men are accessing ECPs	
		Women	Female sex workers		Female sex workers are accessing ECPs
			Married women		Married women are accessing ECPs
			Older women		Older women are accessing ECPs

			Unmarried women	Unmarried women are accessing ECPs	
			Young women	Young women are accessing ECPs	
		Varies by Channels	Accessible	Who is accessing ECPs depends on accessibility at the catchment areas	
			Community (HSA, CBDAs)	Who is accessing ECPs depends community based distributors	
			Cost to user	Varies by channel due to cost – with most people going to channels with no cost	
			Not accessible_Catholic facility	ECPs are not accessible at Catholic facilities	
			Not accessible_CBDA	ECPs are not accessible via CBDAs	
			Pharmacies	ECPs are accessible at pharmacies	
			Private	ECPs are accessible at private facilities	
			Public	ECP accessibility varies at public facilities	
			Supply	Who is accessing ECPs varies by channel due to supply	
			Youth outreach clinics	Who is accessing ECPs depends on if the accessibility of youth outreach clinics	
		Varies by urbanicity	Rural	Who is accessing ECPs varies by urbanicity (if rural environment)	
			Urban	Who is accessing ECPs varies by urbanicity (if urban environment)	
Barriers for accessing ECPs	Respondent's perceived client barriers to accessing ECPs				
Frequency of use	How respondent feels about how frequently clients use ECPs	>1x per month	Unfavorable	Respondent has unfavorable attitudes about clients using ECPs >1x per month	
			Indifferent	Respondent has favorable attitudes about clients using ECPs >1x per month	

			Favorable	Respondent has favorable attitudes about clients using ECPs >1x per month
			Unfavorable	Respondent has unfavorable attitudes about clients using ECPs as a regular form of FP
			Indifferent	Respondent feels indifferent about clients using ECPs as a regular form of FP
		Regular FP method	Favorable	Respondent has favorable attitudes about client using ECPs as a regular form of FP
Availability meeting demand	Respondents' thoughts on if the availability of ECPs is meeting the current demand	Yes		Yes, ECPs are available to meet current demand
		No		No, ECPs are not available to meet current demand
		Not sure		Not sure if ECPs are meeting demand
		Erratic		Respondent feels availability of ECPs is erratic
		Supply barriers		Respondent's perceived supply barriers
Distribution	Respondents' thoughts on how ECP distribution/supply chains/data systems are working	Well		ECP distribution/supply chains/data systems are working well
		Not well		ECP distribution/supply chains/data systems are not working well
		Don't know/not sure		Don't know/not sure how well the ECP distribution/supply chains/data systems are working
Supply challenges	Respondents' thoughts on challenges w/ ECP supply	Specific challenges	Budget approval	Respondent cited budget approval as supply challenge
			Client awareness	Respondent cited client awareness as supply challenge
			Coordination	Respondent cited coordination as supply challenge
			Data entry, management & systems	Respondent cited data entry, management & systems as supply challenge
			Expiration	Respondent cited expiration of ECPs as supply challenge

			Lack of capacity building	Respondent cited lack of capacity building as supply challenge	
			Quantification	Respondent cited quantification as supply challenge	
			Reporting	Respondent cited reporting as supply challenge	
			Shipment	Respondent cited shipment as supply challenge	
			Shortage ECPs	Respondent cited shortage of ECPs as supply challenge	
			Supply gap	Respondent cited supply gap as supply challenge	
		How to address challenges	Address bottlenecks	Respondent recommends addressing bottlenecks	
			Awareness	Respondent recommends raising awareness	
			Better budget approval process	Respondent recommends having better budget approval process	
			Beter quantification	Respondent recommends having better quantification	
			Capacity building	Respondent recommends having capacity building exercises	
			Consumer awareness of ECPs	Respondent recommends raising consumer awareness about ECPs	
			Data management & systems	Respondent recommends having data management and systems for ECPs	
			Government involvement	Respondent recommends having more government involvement	
			Representation in relevant committee or working group	Respondent recommends having relevant committee or working groups on ECPs	
		Supply processes			Respondent's thoughts on supply processes and challenges
		Going well	Data systems	Respondent thinks data systems are going well	
			DMS	Respondent thinks DMS is going well	

Involvement in implementation	Respondent's involvement in the implementation of national EC strategy	Capacity building	If respondent is involved in capacity building
		Development	If respondent is involved in development of strategy
		Dissemination & advocacy	If respondent is involved in dissemination & advocacy
		Monitoring implementation	If respondent is involved in monitoring the implementation of the national EC strategy
		Supplies	If respondent is involved in the supply of ECs – in the implementation of the national EC strategy
		Logistics	If respondent is involved in logistics – in the implementation of the national EC strategy
		Outreach	If respondent is involved in outreach
		Service delivery / provider	If respondent is involved in ECP service delivery
		Supervision	If respondent is involved in supervision– in the implementation of the national EC strategy
		Data systems	If respondent is involved in data systems– in the implementation of the national EC strategy
		Wholesale	If respondent is involved in wholesale of ECPs
		Not involved	Respondent is not involved in the implementation of the national EC strategy
		Status of implementation	Respondents' thoughts on the implementation of the national EC strategy
Regionally	National EC strategy is implemented regionally		
Certain areas	National EC strategy is implemented in certain areas (where and why)		
Partially	National EC strategy is partially implemented		
Well	National EC strategy is will implemented		

		Don't know	Respondent doesn't know if the strategy is implemented	
		Barriers to full implementation	Respondent's thoughts on barriers to the full implementation of the strategy	
Impact service delivery	Respondents' thoughts on the impact of the national EC strategy on ECP service delivery in Malawi	Impactful	National EC strategy has impacted ECP service delivery in Malawi (and why)	
		Not impactful	National EC strategy has not impacted ECP service delivery in Malawi (and why)	
Influenced program decisions	Respondent's thoughts on if the national EC strategy influenced decisions in their program	Yes	Capacity building	Respondent feels national strategy helped with capacity building
			Data entry, data management & data systems	Respondent feels national strategy helped with data entry, data management & data systems
			Demand creation	Respondent feels national strategy helped with demand creation
			Other program actions	Respondent feels national strategy helped with other program actions
			Procurement	Respondent feels national strategy helped with procurement
			Strengthened	Respondent feels national strategy strengthened services
			Which channels offered	Respondent feels national EC strategy influenced which channels ECPs were offered in their programming
			Way ECPs offered	Respondent feels national EC strategy influenced the way in which ECPs were offered in their programming
		No	Respondent doesn't feel national EC strategy	

				influenced decisions in their program
Working overall	Respondents' thoughts on how the EC strategy is working overall	Well		Respondents feel the EC strategy is working well overall
		Not well		Respondent feels the EC strategy is not working well overall
		Don't know		Respondent doesn't know how the EC strategy is working
Contexts strategy	Context that the EC strategy is working well or not well	Working well		Contexts EC strategy is working well
		Not working well		Contexts EC strategy is not working well
		Public vs private		How the EC strategy is working in the public vs private sector
Populations_ working better	Population for whom the EC strategy is working better compared to others.	Populations benefiting most	Men	Men are benefiting the most from EC strategy
			Rural	Rural people are benefiting the most from EC strategy
			Those who access private services	Those who access private services are benefiting the most from EC strategy
			Unmarried people	Unmarried people are benefiting the most from EC strategy
			Urban	Urban residents are benefiting the most from EC strategy
			Women	Women are benefiting the most from EC strategy
			Youth	Youth are benefiting the most from EC strategy
		Populations benefiting least	Men	Men are benefiting the least from the EC strategy
			Older women	Older women are benefiting the least from the EC strategy
			Rural	Rural residents are benefiting the least from the EC strategy

		Youth	Youth are benefiting the least from the EC strategy
Youth access use	Respondents' thoughts on ways EC strategy impacted youth's access and use to ECPs	Impact youth's access	Respondents' thoughts on how EC strategy impacted youth's access to ECPs
		Impact youth's use	Respondents' thoughts on how EC strategy impacted youth's use of ECPs
Not implemented	Respondents' thoughts on which part(s) of the EC strategy have not been implemented yet	Parts	Part of the strategy that are not implemented yet
		Needs	What is needed to implement the strategy
		Priority	Respondents' thoughts which parts of the strategy needs to be prioritized (if there are multiple needs)
		No	Respondent doesn't think there are parts of the EC strategy that have not been implemented yet
Improve implementation	Respondents' thoughts on what should be done to improve implementation of strategy	Availability	There should be more ECP products available
		Awareness	There should be more awareness campaigns about EC services
		Capacity building	There should be more capacity building for EC service provision
		Collaboration	There should be more collaboration to improve services
		Community outreach	There should be more community outreach
		Data and reporting	There should be more data collection and reporting on EC services
		Demand	There should be more demand creation and awareness campaigns to improve implementation of EC strategy
		Government ownership	There should be more government ownership of the strategy

		Increase budget\funding	There should be increased budget/funding	
		Integration	There should be more integration of this strategy with others	
		Inventory	There should be more EC inventory	
		Procurement	There should be better procurement of ECPs	
		Quantification	There should be better quantification of ECP services	
		Sensitization	There should be more sensitization activities	
		Supply	There should be better supply of ECPs in Malawi to improve implementation of EC strategy	
Sustain improvements	Respondents' thoughts on what is needed to sustain improvements	Capacity building	Respondent recommends capacity building to sustain improvements	
		Data	Respondent recommends better data systems to sustain improvements	
		Government involvement	Respondent recommends better government involvement to sustain improvements	
		Integration	Respondent recommends better integration of the strategy into others to sustain improvements	
		Priority	Respondents' thoughts what should be prioritized if there are multiple needs to sustain improvements in the implementation of the national EC strategy	
		Supervision	Respondent recommends better supervision of providers to sustain improvements	
Engage	Respondents' thoughts on who has been or	Youth	Involved	Youths (up to age 29) have been involved in decision-making or implementation of

	should be engaged (or engaged in a deeper way) in implementing the EC strategy		strategy to the respondents' knowledge		
		How involved	How involved youth were in the decision-making or implementation of EC strategy		
		How to involve	Respondents' thoughts on how youth (up to age 29) should be engaged (or better engaged) in the decision-making or implementation of EC strategy		
		Impact	Impact of youths' involvement in the decision-making or implementation of EC strategy		
		Should be involved	Respondent feels youth should be involved in the decision-making or implementation of EC strategy		
		Providers	Respondent feels providers should be better engaged (or engaged in a deeper way) in implementing the EC strategy		
		Beneficiaries	Respondent feels beneficiaries should be engaged		
		People with disabilities	Respondent feels people with disabilities should be engaged		
		Missing	Respondents' thoughts on what is missing from the EC strategy	Distribution channels	Respondent feels distribution channels were missing from EC strategy
				Other	Respondent feels other elements were missing from EC strategy
No	Respondent doesn't feel like here was anything else missing from the EC strategy				
Recommendations	Respondents' recommendations for future of the ECP in Malawi	Availability	Respondent recommends expanding availability of ECs		
		Awareness	Respondent recommends increasing awareness about ECs		
		Coordination/collaboration	Respondent recommends better coordination/collaboration among stakeholders		

		Data	Respondent recommends better data collection around ECs
		Demand	Respondent recommends better demand generation around ECs
		Equity	Respondent recommends ensuring equitable distribution of ECs
		Graduate to other FP	Respondent recommends ensuring that women eventually to graduate to other FP
		Identify gaps	Respondent recommends doing a gap analysis
		Priority	Respondent recommends prioritizing this strategy
		Scale up	Respondent recommends scaling up this strategy
		Sensitize	Respondent recommends having more sensation around ECs and the strategy
		Supply	Respondent recommends having better supply of ECs
		Top of mind	ECPs should be marketed as key/top of mind contraceptive method